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RE:

Application of StarVox Communications, Inc. for a Certificate of Public Convenience and Necessary to Provide Resold and Facilities-Based Local Exchange and Interexchange Telecommunications Services in the State of South Carolina, for Flexible Regulation, and for Alternative Regulation

Docket No. 2007-365-C, ELS File No. 1345-11443

Dear Mr. Butler:

Enclosed is the original and one copy of the **Motion to Present Witness Via Video Conference** filed on behalf of the Applicant in the above-referenced docket. I have discussed this request with counsel for the ORS and the Telephone Coalition and they have both consented to this request. By copy of this letter, I am copying all parties of record with this letter and enclose my certificate of service to that effect.

Please acknowledge your receipt of this document by file-stamping the copy of this letter enclosed, and returning it in the enclosed envelope.

If you have any questions or need additional information, please do not hesitate to contact me.

Very truly yours,

John J. Pringle Jr.

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#### BEFORE

#### THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION OF

#### **SOUTH CAROLINA**

#### **DOCKET NO. 2007-365-C**

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Necessity to Provide Resold and		
Facilities-Based Local Exchange and	VIDEO CONFERENCE	
Interexchange Telecommunications	)	
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For Alternative Regulation		

Applicant Starvox Communications, Inc. ("Applicant") respectfully asks the Hearing Examiner for permission to allow its witness to present testimony during the hearing scheduled for January 7, 2008 via videoconference. In support of its motion, Applicant respectfully states the following:

- 1. The Applicant is based in California.
- 2. It would be a hardship for Applicant and for the Company's witness to travel to Columbia to attend the hearing in person.
- 3. Neither the Commission, any party to this proceeding, nor the general public will be harmed or prejudiced if Applicant is allowed to present its witness by via video.
- 4. Finally, if after hearing by video, the Commission desires to have the Applicant's witness appear in person, the hearing could thereafter be continued to allow for such a personal appearance.

5. Counsel for the Applicant has consulted with Counsel for the Office of Regulatory Staff ("ORS") and the South Carolina Telephone Coalition ("SCTC") and neither objects to this request.

Wherefore, for the stated reasons, Applicant respectfully asks that the Hearing Examiner allow it to present its witness via video during the January 7, 2008 hearing.

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This is to certify that I have caused to be served this day, one (1) copy of the **Motion to Present Witness Via Video Conference** via electronic mail service and by placing a copy of same in the care and custody of the United States Postal Service (unless otherwise specified), with proper first-class postage affixed hereto and addressed as follows:

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